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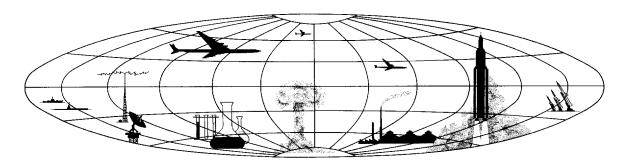
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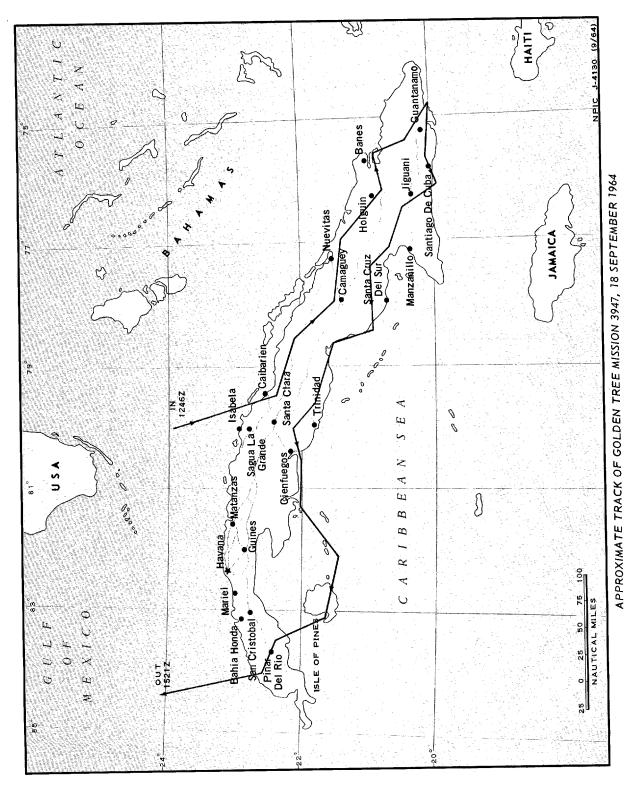
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PREFACE

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM GOLDEN TREE MISSION 3947, DATED 18 SEP 1964, THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE BEGINNING OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

SYMBOUS USED TO INDICATE CONDITIONS WHICH AFFECT THE APPEARANCE OF THE TARGET ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY ARE AS FOLLOWS —— C (CLEAR), SC (SCATTERED CLOUD COVER), HC (HEAVY CLOUD COVER), H (HAZE), CS (CLOUD SHADOW), SD (SEMIDARKNESS), O (OBLIQUITY), PQ (POOR IMAGE QUALITY).



05)///	MISSILES
25X1A	SIGUANEA SAM SITE 2137N Ø8257W
25X1D	SIX LAUNCHERS (5 REVETTED AND 3 CANVAS-COVERED), ONE MISSILE TRANSPORTER, 4 CANVAS-COVERED PROBABLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 14 CANVAS-COVERED PROBABLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 6 PROBABLE CARGO TRUCKS, 3 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 6 PROBABLE CARGO TRUCKS, 3 POSSIBLE VAN TRAILERS, AND 2 OTHER VEHICLES OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS. AREA SSE 10 POSSIBLE TRACKED PRIME MOVERS AND ONE CARGO TRUCK. AREA NW CLOUD COVERED.
25X1A	SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE 1959N 07550W
	SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (ONE WITH MISSILE, 5 CANVAS-COVERED), 7 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (ONE WITH EXPOSED MISSILE), 8 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 2 CARGO EXPOSED MISSILE), 8 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 2 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANE, 3 VAN TRAILERS AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT
	OBSERVED. ONE ADDITIONAL LAUNCHER REMAINS AT THE WEST END OF
25X1D	SUPPORT AREA. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
25X1	SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2003N 07553W
25X1D	TWENTY-ONE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 6 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 22 TRUCK-TRACTORS, 5 FLAT BED TRAILERS, 81 CARGO TRUCKS, 11 VAN TRUCKS, 2 TANK TRUCKS, 16 UTILITY TRUCKS, 2 TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANES, 20 OTHER VEHICLES/ PIECES OF EQUIPMENT, 7 VAN TRAILERS AND NUMEROUS MISSILE CANISTERS OBSERVED. TWO EMPLACED LAUNCHERS, A RADAR, 6 VAN TRUCKS AND 5 VAN TRAILERS REMAIN. THE TWO 3-GUN AAA SITES REMAIN OCCUPIED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
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25X1A	·
	MALDONADO SAM SITE 2012N 07528W
25X1D	SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS, 3 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS ADJACENT TO LAUNCHERS, ONE CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE HOLD REVETMENT, AT LEAST 9 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 4 CARGO TRUCKS, 3 VAN TRUCKS, ONE UTILITY TRUCK, ONE TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANE, 3 VAN TRAILERS, A REVETMENT WITH 18 MISSILE CANISTERS, AT LEAST 12 PROBABLE BOOSTER SECTIONS AND A GUIDANCE REVETMENT WITH RADAR, 4 VAN TRAILERS AND OTHER CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.
25)(44	
25X1A	CAMAGUEY AIRFIELD SAM SITE 2122N Ø775ØW
25X1D	SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (4 PROBABLY WITH MISSILES), 7 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AT LEAST 12 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 6 POSSIBLE TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 6 CARGO TRUCKS, 6 OTHER VEHICLES, 2 PROBABLE VAN TRAILERS AND OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR, 4 VAN TRAILERS AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT. THE THREE ADDITIONAL SA-2 LAUNCHERS, RADAR, 5 VAN TRUCKS AND 5 VAN TRAILERS REMAIN. THE THREE 3-GUN AAA SITES REMAIN OCCUPIED.
25X1A	HOLGUIN SAM SITE 2052N 07627W
25X1D	SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (4 WITH MISSILES), 7 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (4 CANVAS-COVERED), 12 CANVAS-COVERED TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 12 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 UTILITY TRUCKS, 2 VAN TRAILERS, 3 CANVAS-COVERED PIECES OF EQUIPMENT AND GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT. ONE ADDITIONAL LAUNCHER REMAINS OUTSIDE RING ROAD. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
25X1A	
	LA COLOMA SAM SITE 2 2219N Ø8334W
	SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (2 WITH MISSILES), 4 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (2 WITHOUT PRIME MOVERS AND 2

	CANVAS-COVERED), 14 CANVAS-COVERED TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 4 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE UTILITY TRUCK, ONE VAN TRUCK, ONE VAN TRAILER, AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR, 4 VAN TRAILERS, AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.
25X1D	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
25X1A	
	NUEVITAS SAM SITE 2 2132N Ø7717W
	SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (AT LEAST 3 WITH MISSILES), 7 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (ONE ADJACENT TO LAUNCHER), AT LEAST 12 CANVAS-COVERED TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 4 PROBABLE CARGO TRUCKS, 4 OTHER VEHICLES, 2 VAN TRAILERS AND GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR, 8 VAN TRAILERS AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT. FIVE PROBABLE LAUNCHERS REMAIN IN SUPPORT AREA.
25X1D	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
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25X1A	
	PRESTON SAM SITE 2044N 07538W
25X1D	SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS, 7 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, ONE PROBABLE MISSILE TRANSPORTER, 12 PROBABLE TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 3 CARGO TRUCKS, 7 OTHER VEHICLES AND A GUIDANCE REVETMENT CONTAINING RADAR, 4 VAN TRAILERS AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT.
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25X1A	SIGUANEA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2137N Ø8258W
25X1D	TWO REVETTED LAUNCHERS, 5 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (ONE WITHOUT PRIME MOVER), 8 PROBABLE CRUISE-MISSILE CRATES, 5 PROBABLE CARGO TRUCKS, 3 OTHER VEHICLES, AND A CANVAS-COVERED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
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25X1A	2007N 67551N
] SANTIAGO DE CUBA CRUISE-MISSILE STORAGE 2004N 07551W
25X1D	TWENTY-FOUR NET-COVERED CRUISE-MISSILE CRATES AND ONE PROBABLE CRUISE-MISSILE RELATED VEHICLE OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
057/44	AIR FACILITIES
25X1A	CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N Ø775ØW
25X1D	AIRCRAFT 2 LIAISON.
25X1A	HOLGUIN AIRFIELD 2047N 07618W
 25X1D	AIRCRAFT 16 FAGOT/FRESCO, 11 HOUND, 2 HARE (ONE WITHOUT ROTOR) AND ONE LIAISON.
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25X1/	SIGUANEA AIRFIELD 2138N Ø8257W
	NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.
25X1D	
25X1	A ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD 1958N Ø755ØW
	AIRCRAFT ONE COOT, ONE CRATE, ONE C-47, ONE COUT, 3 LIAISON, ONE HOUND AND 2 HARE.
25X1D	
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	BAYAMO AIRFIELD EAST 2022N 07637W
	AIRCRAFT ONE POSSIBLE COLT.
25X1D	

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	PINAR DEL RIO AIRFIELD 2225N Ø834ØW
	AIRCRAFT 3 COLT AND ONE LIAISON.
	25X1D
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	BAYAMO AIRFIELD 2023N 07637W
05)/45	CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES.
25X1D	
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25X1A	
	SIGUANEA NAVAL BASE 2136N Ø8258W
	VESSELS 2 YP.
	25X1D
	CANTIAGO DE OUDA MANA
1	SANTIAGO DE CUBA NAVAL BASE AND PORT 2001N 07550W
25X1D	VESSELS 4 LARGE FREIGHTERS AND 2 LARGE TANKERS.
25X1A	MANITANILLO DONT. OGDIN GERGOV
	MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W
	NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.
	25X1D
	NUEVITAS PORT 2132N Ø7715W
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25X1D	VESSELS ONE LARGE FREIGHTER.
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23/1/	CASILDA PORT 2145N Ø7959W
	NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.
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	25X1D
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	PUERTO PADRE PORT 2113N Ø7632W
	NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED. OBLIQUITY LIMITS INTERPRETATION.
25X1D [
25X1A	ELECTRONICS/COMMUNICATIONS
	HOLGUIN RADAR SITE 2048N 07618W
25X1D	ONE TOKEN, ONE BAR LOCK, ONE STONE CAKE/ROCK CAKE, 2 SPOON REST, AND 2 PROBABLE FLAT FACE RADARS. SIX TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 3 CARGO TRUCKS, 4 VAN TRUCKS, 2 UTILITY TRUCKS, 4 OTHER VEHICLES, AND 12 VAN TRAILERS OBSERVED.
25X1A	
207(1)	SANTIAGO DE CUBA RADAR SITE 1959N Ø7551W
25X1D	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. FOUR VAN TRUCKS, 4 VAN TRAILERS, ONE PROBABLE BAR LOCK RADAR AND ONE ROCK CAKE/STONE CAKE OBSERVED.
25X1A	MILITARY ACTIVITY
23/1/	GUANTANAMO AREA 2018N 07525W
	NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED. AREA 1 50 PERCENT USABLE COVERAGE. AREA 2 40 PERCENT USABLE COVERAGE. AREA 3 90 PERCENT USABLE COVERAGE. AREA 4 100 PERCENT USABLE COVERAGE. AREA 5 20 PERCENT USABLE COVERAGE. AREA 6 AND 9 CLOUD COVERED. AREA 7 100 PERCENT USABLE COVERAGE. AREA 8 20 PERCENT USABLE COVERAGE.
25X1D	

25X1A	MANZANILLO MILITARY CAMP 2017N 07707W	1
25X1D	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. NO VEHICLES OR EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.	
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25X1A	HOLGUIN MILITARY CAMP 2053N 07613W	
25X1D _I	NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE MISSION	25X1D
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25/1/	OFELIA MILITARY CAMP 2006N 07530W	
	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. THIRTY-FIVE TANKS/SP GUNS (2 ON DRIVING RANGE), 97 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 VAN TRUCKS, ONE TANK TRUCK, 5 OTHER VEHICLES, ONE CARGO TRAILER, 46 FA PIECES, 22 AAA PIECES, 15 AAA/MORTARS AND APPROXIMATELY 90 PERSONNEL OBSERVED.	
25X1D	PERSUNNEL OBSERVED.	
25X1A	7775311	
	CAMAGUEY MILITARY CAMP 2126N Ø7753W	
25X1D	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. FORTY-THREE CARGO TRUCKS, 29 FA PIECES AND 15 PROBABLE MORTARS.	
25X1/	EL CRISTO MILITARY INSTALLATION 2008N 07547W	
	BOTH AREAS NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. MAIN CAMP 12 PROBABLE TRACKED VEHICLES, 24 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 VAN TRUCKS, AND 3 PROBABLE FA PIECES OBSERVED.	
	AREA 1.6 NM NE 3 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES.	
25X1D		

25X1A	
	SANTA FE MILITARY CAMP LUMUMBA 2142N Ø8249W
	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. NINE CARGO TRUCKS AND 2 PROBABLE UTILITY TRUCKS OBSERVED.
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25X1A	
	HOLGUIN MILITARY CAMP NW 2057N 07616W
	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. NINETEEN TANKS/SP GUNS, 12 CARGO TRUCKS AND 14 AAA PIECES OBSERVED.
25X1D	
25X1A	
	TRINIDAD AREA POSS MIL HEADQUARTERS 2150N 07953W
25X1D	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWENTY-THREE CARGO TRUCKS AND 13 FA PIECES OBSERVED.
25X1A	
	MINAS MILITARY CAMP 2127N Ø7734W
25X1D	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. SEVENTEEN TANKS/SP GUNS, 14 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 VAN TRUCKS AND 4 UNIDENTIFIED PIECES OF EQUIPMENT.
23/10	
25X1A	
	SANTA ISABEL FINCA MILITARY CAMP 2005N 07528W
	BOTH AREAS NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. MAIN CAMP 35 CARGO TRUCKS, 3 FA PIECES, 3 AAA PIECES, 7 MORTARS AND 9 UNIDENTIFIED PIECES OF EQUIPMENT.
	CAMP ONE NM NORTH 10 CARGO TRUCKS AND 12 FA PIECES.
25X1D	

25X1A	
	LA VEGUITA MILITARY CAMP 2049N 07615W
25X1D	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWELVE CARGO TRUCKS AND 11 FA PIECES OBSERVED.
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25X1A	SANTA FE MILITARY AREA 2144N Ø8247W
05V1D	MAIN CAMP AT LEAST 10 VEHICLES AND 10 FA PIECES OBSERVED. HAZE LIMITS INTERPRETATION. CAMP 1.5 NM WNW 4 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 UTILITY TRUCKS, AND ONE OTHER VEHICLE OBSERVED. THE 6-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED. CAMP 4.8 NM NW 2 CARGO TRUCKS OBSERVED. THE 3-GUN
25X1D	AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED.
25X1A	LA VEGA MILITARY CAMP 2053N 07552W
	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. EIGHTEEN CARGO TRUCKS AND ONE UTILITY TRUCK OBSERVED. 25X1D
	25/10
	HEREDIA MILITARY CAMP 2134N Ø78ØØW
	MAIN CAMP NO APPARENT CHANGE IN PERMANENT FACILITIES. SEVEN LARGE NON-SOVIET TENTS, 22 TANKS/SP GUNS AND ONE CARGO TRUCK. CAMP Ø.5 NM NE 5 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE UTILITY TRUCK AND 4 UNIDENTIFIED PIECES OF EQUIPMENT.
25X1D	
	EL CANEY MILITARY ACTIVITY 2002N 07545W
25X1D 25X1D 25X1D	1.6 NM SE OF EL CANEY AND 3 NM ENE OF SANTIAGO DE CUBA AT 20-02- N 075-45- W (UTM

	25X1D
	CUABITAS MILITARY CAMP 2003N 07548W
5X1D 5X1D 25X1D	SW EDGE OF CUABITAS AND 2.4 NM NNE OF SANTIAGO DE CUBA AT 20-03- N 075-48- W FACILITIES INCLUDE 5 PROBABLE BARRACKS, ONE L-SHAPED BUILDING OR SHED, 3 SUPPORT BUILDINGS AND ONE LARGE NON-SOVIET TENT. VEHICLES 10 PROBABLE TRACKED VEHICLES, 15 CARGO TRUCKS, 4 UTILITY TRUCKS, ONE PROBABLE TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANE, AND 6 AAA PIECES OBSERVED. FOLIAGE LIMITS INTERPRETATION. (AMS SERIES E723, SHEET 5076 III, 2D ED).
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25X1A

-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS OBSERVED-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE LAST COVERAGE—

25X1D

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CAMAGUEY RADAR SITE 25X1D

MACAGUA MILITARY CAMP
SIBONEY LANDING BEACH 25X1D

MAR VERDE LANDING BEACH

2121N Ø7751W 2Ø5ØN Ø761ØW 1957N Ø7542W 1957N Ø7557W

25X1

25X1

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED-

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SAN JULIAN SAM SITE
VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA
SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD
NUEVA GERONA PORT
SAN JULIAN RADAR SITE
DOS CAMINOS MILITARY TRAINING AREA

2205N 08408W 2104N 07700W 2205N 08409W 2153N 08248W 2206N 08409W 2014N 07547W

25X1A